



**MAIL STOP
AMENDMENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: S.M. Testa et al. Attorney Docket No.: GERC117991
Application No.: 09/936,146 Group Art Unit: 1637
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Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR INHIBITION OF RNA SPLICING

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Seattle, Washington 98101

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed January 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below and reconsider the application in view of the following remarks. Pursuant to the Petition for Extension of Time enclosed herewith, the period for response has been extended one (1) months, to expire May 28, 2005.

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